SOME ANIMATED TALK AT THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment met in the Mayor's office yesterday and adopted a resolution sending the provisional estimates to the Board of Aldermen. Park Commissioner Crimmins made a statement before the Board asking for a transfer of \$9,500 from unexpended balances of appropriations for the years 1880, 1881 and 1882 to the appropriation this year for supplies and maintenance. The money, he said, was needed for supplying the park lawns with a top dressing. Controller Grant Offered a resolution that the transfer be made. President Asten, of the Tax Department, opposed the resolution. He said:

"In regard to the need of a top dressing to be applied to the park lawns this fall there is a difference of opinion. But I carnestly oppose this practice of making transfers of alleged unexpended balances of previous years. It is a question in my mind whether or not we have any legal right to make such transfers. Already transfers have been made to the Park Department this year to the amount of \$54,000. It is merely increasing the appropriation to that amount. Transfers have been made this year already to an amount exceeding \$400,000—a sum two or three times greater than has been transferred in any previous year. This talk of unexpended balances is a fletion. There are no unexpended balances is a fletion. There are no unexpended balances then it will have to be raised by the issue of bonds. I am opposed to such a practice and don't its legality."

Alderman Reifly—I do not think the meetings of this Board should be used to make speeches for public notoriety or anything else. It is to the public interest to bave the parks well cared for. I am in favor of this transfer, and I believe my constituents will sustain me in making it.

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President Asten—I hold that there are no unexpended balances, but if there are, it is only proof that this Board has acted in a liberal spirit toward the Departments. You cannot make a transfer when there is nothing to take from. Long back in August the Park Commissioners were told that this appropriation would be exhausted if they continued to expend the money in the way they were doing. But they made no change in their policy and now come here to seek an increase of appropriation.

Alderman Reilly—Did you not ask for a transfer some time ago for your own department!

President Asten—I asked for a transfer from one item of an appropriation made for the Tax Department this year to another item. But I did not ask for a transfer from previous years. That is what I am opposed to, as that is merely another way of increasing the city debt. If the Park Department has any unexpended balance of appropriations this year, then I am ready to make the transfer.

Alderman Reilly to Mr. Crimmins—Do you need the appropriation?

Mr. Crimmins—Yes. There is no question about that.

Mayor Edson—But the President of your Board

Mr. Crimmins—Yes. There is no question about that.

Mayor Edson—But the President of your Board said last week that the Park Department could get along without this transfer. Before voting for a transfer from previous years I would like to know that there is any money to transfer. I am under the impression now that it would merely be a transfer on paper and that the money would have to be raised by the issue of revenue bonds. If that is true we cannot consistently make such a transfer, I move that the whole matter be laid over until the Controller can make a report on what sum of money, if any, there is actually in the City Treasury as the result of unexpended appropriations of previous years.

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The notion made by the Mayor was adopted. A transfer of \$5,000 was then made from the appropriation for elerk hire in the Corporation Counsel's office this year to that of his contingent expenses, and a transfer was also made for the Commissioners of Accounts.

Controller Grant then presented a claim of James M. Lyddy, a lawyer of this city, for \$16,000 for services in securing a decision in 1881 on the question of the legal expiration of the official term of Surrogate Calvin. A letter was read from the Corporation Counsel stating that the services rendered by Mr. Lyddy were undoubtedly of public value and that it was for the Board of Estimate to determine the amount.

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Mayor Edson inquired if the Corporation Counsel had employed Mr. Lyddy, and if not where he got his authority to act for the City of New-York.

Mr. Lyddy, who was present, said that he was employed by Mr. Rosecrans?

Mayor Edson—And who is Mr. Rosecrans?

Mr. Lyddy—A citizen who is not able to pay for the service. It was a question of doubt when Surrogate Calvin's term of office expired. The Corporation Counsel rendered an opinion which my client thought was wrong and he employed me to take the question into the courts. It was the same kind of service that Samuel J. Tilden, Charles O'Conor and other eminent lawyers rendered to the city at the time of the Tweed suits, when the Corporation Counsel refused to act. Our firm (Lyddy Brothers) took the question to the Court of Appeals and got an early decision. There were not twenty lawyers in the city equal to the task of getting so early a decision on the subject. The Legislature was so impressed with the value of our services that at its last session it unanimously passed a bill authorizing the Board to pay our bill.

Mayor Edson—There are plenty of questions of this kind unsettled in the City Government. And if any lawyer can pick them up and carry them into the courts and then charge the city a counsel fee of \$16,000 for a few days' services, it appears to me it will be a pretty goo' speculation. Before acting on this matter I will have to examine it further. It may be, under the act of the Legislature, we may be compelled to pay the bill.

Alderman Keilly—It appears to me that we ought to ask the Corporation Counsel to state the value of the services and then pay Mr. Lyddy.

The Mayor moved to lay the matter on the table, which motion was adopted.

KLEPTOMANIAC OR SHOPLIFTER !

A woman giving the name of Annie Smith was arrested on Wednesday, charged with shoplifting in the fancy-goods store of T. O'Donoghne, No. 38 East Fonrteenth-st. In the Jefferson Market Police Court, she was held by Justice Gardner in \$500 bail for trial in the Court of Special Sessions. A Tribune reporter called at the store and saw the proprietor, who said:

"I shall be glad to make a statement for The Tribune, because it is a family paper and is read by many of our lady enstoners. A well-dressed, lady-like woman, between forty and fifty years of age, came into our store on Wednesday, a little after I g'clock, and was seen by Mr. King, the superintendent, to conceal a bonnet worth \$14 under her black silk fur-lined circular. She was arrested, when she said she was Aunie Smith, of No. 127 East Fifty-seventh-st. We have since ascertained that there is no such number and probably the name is also false. She protested that she was a lady, but she remained perfectly calm and self possessed and allowed herself to be marched down Broadway without any tears or protestations. To my mind this seemed like the conduct of a profesa lady, but she remained perfectly calm and self possessed and allowed herself to be marched down Broadway without any tears or protestations. To my mind this seemed like the conduct of a professional thief. She sent no message to any one, exchanged words with no one, and yet, some twenty minutes after she had left the store in company with an officer, a man asked in a hesitating way: 'Did you have any trouble here?' He was teld that a woman had been arrested for shoplifting, when he rushed off to the police court and proposed to settle the matter. I have since learned that this man, who asserted that he was her husband, produced \$500 and that she was liberated.

"One of our best customers, a lady well known for her philanthropy, recognized this woman as a person who had come to her for employment and had represented herself as a widow with five small children, and she obtained for Annie Smith a position as housekeeper. I do not think this is a case of

as housekeeper. I do not think this is a case kleptomania; it looks like organized shoplifting.

CAPTAIN HUSSEY IN A NEW ROLE. In the performance at Harrigan & Hart's Theatre there is a scene representing Castle Gardon, in which Captain John Hussey, the veteran gate-keeper at Castle Garden, who has rescued from drowning twenty-six persons and two horses, is represented as jumping overboard to rescue a drowning person. Captain Hussey went to see the play on Wednesday night and was recognized by the stage manager, who sent for him.

"Captain Hussey, I observed you in the andience," he said, "and would like you to come on the stage and act the part in which you are represented." In the performance at Harrigan & Hart's Theatre

"Oll right," said Hussey in a stentorian voice.
"You will not get frightened and run away, will

Lelian & Co., Hatch & Foote, S. V. White & Co., K. & C. S. Milliken, Van Schaiek & Co., Prince & Whitely. Hilton, & Waugh, Livingston Rac, S. F. Strong Frank Kimball, H. A. Patter-son, and Charles Minzesheimer & Co.

GENERAL SHERMAN ON THE ARMY.

ITS PLACE IN THE COUNTRY'S FUTURE. REMARKS AT A MEETING OF THE MILITARY SER-

VICE INSTITUTION. A general meeting of the Military Service Istitution was held at Governor's Island vesterday Among those present where General William Tecumseh Sherman, Stone Pacha, late chief of staff to the Khedive; Generals Crittenden, Rodenbough and Fry; Colonel Wildrick commanding Fort Schuyler; Colonel Gillespie, of the engineers; Major McKee, of the ordnance; Majors Sumner and Randolph; Captains Welles, Willard, Thomas, Ward and Wharton; Lieutenant Barber, and Surgeon Daring.

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When General Sherman arrived at the island the wharf shone like a bed of poppies with brilliant uniforms and gleaming helmets, for the staff of Major-General Hancock was waiting to receive him. At the guard-house the guard was turned out and stood with presented arms while the trumpeters blew a fanfare General Sherman listened with uncovered head until the trumpeters bad ecased. In front of General Hancock's house the 5th Artillery Band greeted him with "Hall to the Chief." The artillerymen of the light battery stood by their gans near the Sorth Battery and an officer approached and offered the General a salute, but he declined it. After paying his respects to General Hancock, General Hancock did not leave his house all day. It was said that the old wound which he received at the battle of Gettysburg was troubling him on account of a piece of bone working through the skin. His general health, however, is good. The members of the Military Service Institution gathered under the captured banners and relies of war in the upper hall of the clock tower building. General Crittenden presiding. On his right sat Generals Fry and Webb and on his left General Sherman. The paper for the day was by Colonel A. G. Brackett, of the 3d Cavalry. The subject was "Our Cavalry—its duties, hardships and necessities at our frontier posts." Colonel Bracket being detained on duty at Jefferson Barracks, St. Lomis, General Whipple read the paper, which treated of the hardships that the soldiers have to endure, the heat, the cold, the hard marches, and the isolation. When the paper had been read, General Sherman said:

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I did not come here to speak, but to listen. The paper by Colonel Bracket which we have heard to day seems to me to be the A B C. I have seen so much of the eavalry on the frontier posts, I do believe that the eavalry arm has done a work in our civilization that should command for it the gratitude of the country and the respect of the world. It is a lifetime since the civil war closed, and we old fellows are passing off the stage of action. So, while I have been General of the Army, I have watched the young men. The old men, especially you one-legged and one-armed once, have carned whatever of ease or honor you have attained. It is now for you to give to the young men the benefit of your experience. We have passed through the measles and whooping-cough part of our National existence and are on the threshold of a new era. Our country is not finished yet and the eyes of the world are upon us.

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In other times Kings ruled by right from heaven. We deay that light. The Almighty governs by means too intricate for us to comprehend, and through the people comes the power. In an army it is necessary to have captains and colonels and generals, but it is also necessary to have a power behind that pays the bills. We must strive to be like the laborer of old, worthy of his hire. I appeal to you to mingle more with civilians, to comprehend them and have them comprehend you, in order that there may be perfect unity between the people and the army. I believe that in the future the army will be the nucleus around which this great nationality will concentrate. We officers have a great power and we are responsible to God for it. I believe that the army is in a finer condition new than it ever was. To the young men of the army the future is committed.

Remarks were also made by General Price, Stone Pacha, General Davis, Major Summer and others, General Price said that 70 per cent of the men who culisted in the American army were American born.

FUNERAL OF "WELCH EDWARDS."

The Rev. Dr. George H. Houghton, rector of "The Little Church Around the Corner," officiated yesterday at the funeral of "Welch Edwards," the veteran comedian, who died on Tuesday. The services were held at No. 167 East One-hundred-and-fourteenth-st., the wife, mother and two children of the dead actor being the chief mourners. At the head of the casket was a large pillow of flowers, and the inscription on the plate read; "Edward Welch-Edwards. Died November 6, 1883. Age 51 years, 8 months and 7 days."

A large number of theatrical people were present, and the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, of which the deceased man had been Exalted Ruler, attended in full regalia, and escorted the body to Evergreen Cemetery. FUNERAL OF "WELCH EDWARDS."

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Edward Welch was born in Waterford, Ireland, on February 20, 1832. He came to this country when a young man and settled in Boston, making his début at the Federal Street Theatre on September 21, 1851, in the part of Bob, in "The Vermont Wood Dealer." Subsequent engagements carried him South, where he became a popular favorite. His first appearance in New-York was at the old Broadway Theatre on December 22, 1856, when he took the part of Colonel Damas in "The Lady of Lyons." In 1868 he played General Boum in "La Grande Duchesse" at the Globe Theatre with the Worrell Sisters. He played with the Vokes Family at the Union Square Theatre, and he acted The District-Attorney in the original production of "Colonel Sellers," In 1875 he took the part of Moorrook in "Girefle-Girofla." During the season of 1880-'81 he played at the Madison Square Theatre; then he "Große-Große." During the season of 1880-81 he played at the Madison Square Theatre; then he travelled with Maggie Mitchell, and later with John A. Stevens. On October 15 he played The linke of Glaster, in "King Lear," at the Academy of Music, Philadelphia, and that was his last appearance on

INSURANCE NEWS AND INCIDENTS.

An interesting table made its appearance among the fire insurance offices yesterday showing the profit of the twenty-eight leading agency companies for the six years ending with 1882. The record pointed out the fact that ten of the comrecord pointed out the fact that ten of the companies underwent a positive loss, and that their stockholders would have been better off had their money been invested so as to draw a normal rate of interest. Nine of the companies gained less than five per cent in strength during the six years; seventeen less than ten per cent, while only one gained more than ten per cent. Ten went backward, in the same time, from one to nine per cent. The chief moral which these figures teach is that the average premium rate is too low, and that companies operating in a wide field and depending on the law of average for their profits must receive better rates for the risks they carry or succumb to disaster.

A large number of fire insurance companies, re A large number of the Insurance companies, reporting yesterday to The Insurance Chronicle, expressed themselves in favor of an amalgation of the United Fire Underwriters in America with the National Board, as recommended by the advisory committee of the former organization a few days ago. The current opinion among fire underwriters is that there is no need of two bodies with national intribulities.

At a meeting of the Tariff Association on Wednesday a number of uptown risks were rated. In Brooklyn the warehouse keepers have complied with the association's terms concerning the storage of cotton and other fibre. The Tariff Association will meet again to-day to continue its ratings.

Among the visiting underwriters yesterday was Captain L. M. Tucker, of Columbus, Miss., general agent for that State for a number of leading companies. At a meeting of the Tariff Association on Wednes-

WHERE WALSH AND IRVING WERE KILLED.

Colonel O'Byrne and Secretary Penney, of the District-Attorney's office, and Roundsman Cross, of the Twenty-ninth Precinct, made a thorough investigation yesterday of "Shang" Draper's liquor store at No. 466 Sixth-ave., where Walsh and Irving, the professional crimmals, were killed a few weeks ago. Mr. O'Byrne is to conduct the prosecution of "Billy" Porter, which is to begin in the Court of Oyer and Terminer on Wednesday. The marks of several bullets that were supposed to have come from Walsh's pistol were seen in the walls of the store, but no effort was made till yesterday to secure all the bullets. It was found that two of the bullets had entered the casing of the door between the front and rear rooms. A carpenter was employed by Mr. O'Byrne, and the casing was taken down. One bullet was found imbedded in the wood and the other had dropped into the cellar of the building was also found in the cellar. Another was found in the plastering of the partition between the rooms. All of these bullets with the material about the places where they were discovered were taken to a police station. These are all the bullets of which trace was found except those formerly obtained.

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The funeral of James Colles, who died at the age

soon built up the firm of Colles & Dudley there, which enjoyed the highest prosperity until the rebellion broke out. Mr. Colles retired from the business in 1841 and went to Europe with his family. He travelled three years and with his family was presented at many of the courts abroad. On his return to America Mr. Colles lived at No. 36 University-place in the winter and spent his summers at his country place in Morristown, N. J. He gave up his New-York house in 1877.

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A part of the Corean Embassy returned to New-York from Washington on Tuesday and have been staying at the Victoria Hetel. The members of the Embassy who are in the city are the Minister, Min Yong ik; his secretary Soh Kwang Pom, and the attache, Pyon Su. The Minister is accompanied also by Ensign G. C. Foulk, of the United States Navy, who will act as his escort on the return voyage to Corea, and will afterward be naval attache of the American Legation at Seoul, the capital of Corea. Ensign Foulk will travel in all parts of Corea and will report to the Government the state of Corean industry, trade and civilization generally. The Corean Minister will remain in New-York until some time next week when he will sail for home on the United States steamship Trenton, on which the President invited him to make the return voyage. The other members of the Embassy started for Corea several weeks ago. The Corean Minister and the other members of the Embassy started for Corea several weeks ago. The Corean Minister and the other members of the Embassy express themselves as highly gratified with the result of their mission. They wish to have American manufacturers and merchants have the first chance at Corean trade, and to this ond arrangements were made with the State Department to have a permanent exhibition of American manufactures and products at the capital of Corea, and American merchants and manufacturers have been invited to send specimens of their wares. The Coreans desire better mail communication with the United States also. At present their only mail facilities consist of a single diminutive steamer that makes monthly trips from Japan to two Corean ports. CALLED TO SUCCEED THE REV. DR. BOOTH.

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The University Place Presbyterian Church has been without a pastor since the resignation of the Rev. Dr. Robert R. Booth in June. Dr. Booth was obliged to leave his pastoral work on account of ill health, and is now in Italy, where he is said to be improving. The church, at a meeting held on Weduesday night, extended a call to the Rev. George Alexander. of Schenectady, to become its pastor, at a salary of \$6,000. Mr. Alexander was born in West Charlton, N. Y., on October 12, 1843. He was graduated from Union College in the class of 1866, and from Princeton Theological Seminary three years later. On January 20, 1870, he was ordained by the Presbytery of Albany, and soon afterward he became the pastor of the East Avenue Presbyterian Church in Schenectady. For the last five years Mr. Alexander has, besides his pastoral duties, been Professor of Rhetoric and English Literature in Union College. He has not preached in the church to which he has just been called, but a committee went to Schenectady to hear him preach, and on the recommendation of this committee the church decided to call Mr. Alexander.

MOVEMENTS OF LORD COLERIDGE'S SON MOVEMENTS OF LORD COLERIDGE'S SON
The Hon, Gilbert Coleridge, son of Lord Coleridge, has been paying a brief visit to Fort Hamilton. On Wednesday he proceeded to Albany, where he will be the guest of James D. Johnson, under whose efficient escort the Coleridge party made the tour of the country. From Albany, where he will remain a week, young Coleridge, accompanied by Mr. Johnson, will go to Rochester and Buffalo and to various other points of interest in this State and in Canada. He has received many cordial invitations to go to Washington, and expects to spend some days there in January. His stay in this country will be protracted several months.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

Buckingham Hotel—Senator Joseph N. Dolph, of Oregon, and William McMichael, of Philadelphia...
Victoria Hotel—Governor A. O. Bourn, of Rhode Island...
Becesori House—Commodore J. G. Walker, U. S. N. ..
Hoffman House—Assistant Postimaster-General R. A. Elmer. ... Filla Accauc Hote—Postmaster Edward S. A. Elmer. ... Filla Accauc Hote—Postmaster Edward S. Tobey and Alpheus Hardy, of Roston ... Grand Hotel—Senator C. L. MacArthur, of Troy ... Windsor Hotel—D. W. Caldwell, vice-president of the New-York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company, and Daniel Roblisson, of Proty. ... Astor House—Ex-Congressman J. W. Dwight, of Dryden, N. Y.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY. ardent-Di Cesnola libel suit before Judge Shipman.

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Modern Shains."
Workingmen's mass-meeting in Cooper Institute.
Methodist Missionary Committee at No. 805 Broadway.
Billiard tournament in Madison Square Hall.
Martin Luther Celebration Committee at Y. M. C. A. Funeral of Dr. W. H. Scott at No. 419 West Twenty-

cond-st., 9 a. m. New-York-Philadelphia choss tournament.

NEW-YORK CITY. Carl Sandford, who was recently suspended as a number of the Produce Exchange, was reinstated

The Princeton and Columbia College football teams will play a championship match at the Polo Grounds to-morrow afternoon.

The Fall River Line steamers are now leaving New-York from Pier No. 28 N. R. at 4:30 p. m. This arrangement will continue during the winter

On Sunday, December 16, a Catholic mission will be begun in St. Alphonsus Church, in South Fffth-ave., to be conducted by the Redemptorist Fathers. ave., to be conducted by the Redemptorist rathers.

Smoking is becoming disgustingly frequent in
Broadway stages after dark. Ladies are frequently
compelled to leave the stages, and the drivers seldom reprove the smokers.

Broadway from Chambers to Fulton sts. was in a
continual state of blockade yesterday afternoon.
Stages and other vehicles were compelled to use
adjacent thoroughfares.

YACHTING NOTES.

The new cutter lieen made a trial trip down to Sandy Hook and back yesterday. The rumored sale of the sloop-yacht Gracie was denied at the New-York Yacht Club.

GENERAL SHERMAN AND THE GRAND ARMY.
General W. T. Sherman will receive the members
of the Grand Army of the Republic in the rooms of
the Keltes Post, in the Bowery, near Houston-st.,
this evening at 8. Members of the Grand Army
are requested to appear in uniform.

SOCIETY OF MEDICAL JURISPRUDENCE,
At the meeting of the Society of Medical Jurisprudence last evening Dr. Charles A. Leale read a
paper on "Sunstrokes," It provoked general discussion, in which Drs. C. S. Wood and E. C. Spitzka

COMMITTED ON A CHARGE OF OUTRAGE.
Theodore Gradding, age forty-eight, of No. 526
West Thirty-binth-st., was yesterday arraigned at
the Jefferson Market Police Court, and committed
for trial in default of \$5,000 bail on the charge of
outraging his daughter Alice, age eleven.

A LOTIERY BELIEVED TO BE A SWINDLE.

In the mails brought by the steamship Frisia, which arrived from Hamburg on Monday, were hundreds of circulars addressed to persons in this city announcing a lottery in Hamburg, under the cognizance of the Government, with prizes amounting to \$2,000,000. It is believed to be a swindle.

The Episcopal Church of St. Peter's has borrowed The Episcopal Church of St. Peter's has borrowed the sum of \$55,000 upon the property at No. 17 Warren-st. from the United States Trust Company.Property on the north side of Forty-eighth-st., 100 feet east of Tenth-ave., having a frontage of 150 feet on the former, has been purchased by John Livingston for \$150,000.

THE CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW.

The fine exhibition of chrysanthemums at Horticultural Hall in Twenty-eighth-st, was visited all day yesterday and last evening by admiring throngs of ladies and gentlemen. All of the plants that were for sale were disposed of at large prices, and orders for large numbers of plants and flowers were received by the different exhibitors.

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A NEW CATHOLIC CHURCH.

The Franciscan Fathers, who have charge of the temporary church of St. Anthony, in Sullivan-st., recently purchased a plot of ground on which it is proposed at an early day to begin the erection of a new Catholic church for Italian Catholics. For the purpose of raising a building fund a fair is to be held soon in the St. Anthony school building in Sullivan-st.

STEALING PROM HIS SISTER.

Francis Finigan, age twenty-three, went to his sister's lodgings in Broadway on October 24, and with a theatrical air said: "I want your money or your life." As she had no money, he snatched the gold watch which she were and ran away with it. He was subsequently arrested and yesterday pleaded guilty to larceny, and was sentenced by Recorder Smyth to four years in the State Prison. His appearance was that of a hardened criminal. He has already served a term in the State Prison.

RESISTING UNION DICTATION.

The Rev. Dr. S. M. Peters was elected president, William Harrold Brown secretary, and E. L. Tremain treasurer.

THE FEMALE SICK ASSISTANCE SOCIETY.

The seventieth anniversary of the Female Sick Assistance Society will be held to-day at 3 p. m., in the lecture room of the Collegiate Church, at Twenty-ninth-st, and Fifth-ave. A history of the origin and progress of the society will be given, and an interesting address will be made by Dr. Stephenson.

TO CONSIDER THE CLEARING HOUSE SYSTEM.

President Herrick, of the Produce Exchange, yesterday appointed a committee of opponents to the Clearing House system to confer with the committee which has been endeavoring to secure its adoption. The members are Leonard Hazeltine, Henry B. Hebert, Henry Allen, R. P. Clapp, Selah Young, jr., S. K. Lane, William Oest, Henry C. Ward and Frederick Brooks.

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RARE PORCELAIN SELLING CHEAPLY.

The sale of the William Man collection of rare antique Chinese porcelains, which began yesterday at Ortgies & Co.'s galleries, Nos. 845 and 847 Broadway, was not well attended, and prices obtained were about 50 per cent below the real values. A fine collection of cabinet specimens was sacrificed, the highest price being \$80 for a Kang-he jar. Today some small specimens of eggshell porcelains and a collection of little vases will be among the articles sold.

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Magnus Gunberg, of No. 486 East Seventy-fourthst, was found lying on the sidewalk at Seventyfourth-st, and First-aye., on Tuesday night, with a
bullet wound in his back. George Blaumel, a dramseller, was arrested and held for examination yesterday. J. H. Hinners, a grocer at No. 1,337 Firstave., was arrested. He was identified by the
wounded man as his assailant, and was held by Justice Herrman in \$1,000 bail in the Yorkville Police
Court, pending Gunberg's recovery.

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ANXIOUS TO RETURN TO GERMANY.

Gustave Langenberg, a German scene painter, came to this country recently and searched unsuccessfully for his brother Carl, who was said to have emigrated to America in 1877. The brothers had become heirs to a small estate in Prussia, and Gustave could not take possession of the property in Carl's absence. Superintendent Walling yesterday received a letter from a man at McKeesport, Penn, who signed himself Carl Langenberg. He wished to borrow \$200 from Mr. Walling, in order to pay some debts and procure a passage to Germany. The Superintendent directed that the letter should be forwarded to Gustave Langenberg, who sailed for Europe about a week ago. Europe about a week ago.

COURTING UNDER NOVEL CIRCUMSTANCES. Royal La Touche, a Frenchman, who yesterday pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy in the Court of General Sessions, began his first courtship and married life under peculiar circumstances. Jennie Lee, his first wife, was bringing the dead body of her first husband to New-York for burial when she met La Touche in Chicago in 1873. He afterward visited her in this city, but again went West, where he was imprisoned in the jail at Hillsborough, Ohio. While there he was married to Miss Lee. He afterward deserted her and came to New-York, where he married Ida M. Dings in August, 1880. He was sentenced by Recorder Smyth to four years in the State Prison.

Joseph Fisher of the Clarendon Hotel yesterday filed plans in the Buildings Bureau for a hotel which he intends to erect on the southeast corner of Broadway and Thirty-eighth-st. The plans were drawn by William H. Hume, the architect at Fifthave, and Fourteenth-st., and they represent an eight story and basement fireproof structure, with a flat roof and walls nearly devoid of ornament. The fronts in Broadway and Thirty-eighth-st, are to be constructed of brick and brownstone. As the lot is irregular in shape the building will extend 78 feet in Broadway and 120 feet in Thirty-eighth-st., while the east side will be 66 feet and the south side 95 feet in extent, The estimated cost of the building is \$300,000. building is \$300,000.

building is \$300.000.

A LITTLE GIRL ARRESTED FOR TILL-TAFFING.
Morris Fegelsohn, a butcher, at No. 99 Bayardst, has daily for the last six months missed sums of money which, he estimates, amount to about \$500. Yesterday, about 9:30 a.m., a little girl, wearing a heavy shawl, entered and ordered some meat. Detective English, who had been instructed to watch, observed the little one place her right hand, wrapped in the shawl, in such a position as to hide the movements of her left hand, with which she opened the money-drawer under the counter and abstracted some bills. He immediately approached, and took from her hand \$4. She said she was Lena Yengal, age eight, living at No. 46 Forsyth-st. At the Tombs Police Court she was committed, and Agent Young, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, was instructed to make an investigation.

BROOKLYN.

Mrs. Elizabeth McGlynn, of No. 95 Clifton-place, died yesterday at the Brooklyn Hospital from fatal burns caused by the explosion of a kerosene lamp

The Adelphi Academy football team, of Brook-lyn, played the Columbia College Freshman team at Washington Park, Brooklyn, yesterday. The New-York boys won in an easy victory by 2 goals and 7 touch-downs to nothing.

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A formal celebration of Luther's four hundredth birthday will take place to-morrow evening in St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, at Clinton and Amity sts. Among the speakers are Mr. Beecher, the Rev. Drs. J. B. Thomas, J. O. Peck, and H. J. Van Dyke, and the Revs. G. F. Behringer and J. C. Zimmerman. Joaquin Miller will read a poem.

The thirty-second annual meeting of the Brooklyn Society for the Relief of Respectable Aged Indigent Females, was held yesterday in the Graham Home, at No. 320 Washington-ave. Addresses were made by the Rev. Drs. A. J. F. Behrends and L. T. Chamberian. The officers were re-elected.

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Governor Cleveland has sent a reply through Adpitant-General Farnsworth to the application of
Colonel McLeer for a review of the decision of
Judge Advocate-General King in regard to the
"drumming out" of Private Bockelman from the
State Camp at Peekskill last summer, declining to
take further proceedings, in view of the fact that if
any indignity was offered to the 14th Regiment it
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The eleventh annual meeting of the Woman's
Missionary Association, of the Diocese of Long
Island, was held yesterday in St. Peter's Protestant
Episcopal Church in State-st. Bishop Littlejohn
presided. The annual report was read by the Rev.
C. W. Homer. Addresses were made by Bishop
Brewer, of Montana; Bishop Paddock, of Washington Territory, and in the evening by the Rev. Drs.
Morgan Smiely and Stocking.

A suit for absolute divorce has been begun by
Albert Reidel.....The complaint in the suit of
Mrs. Francis H. Burroughs against Charles E.
Burroughs, for absolute divorce, was filed yesterday.....In the suit of Mrs. Emma C. Steiger
against Frederick Steiger for limited divorce, it is
alleged by the husband that his wife has two husbands, and he applied yesterday for an order dismissing the suit and annulling the marriage. As
heresay evidence was presented the case was adjourned.

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By the will of Mrs, Rose Gaughran, a milliner in New-York living in Brooklyn, who died in July, \$2,700 was left to other relatives, and only \$5 to her daughter, Mrs, Denis Spellasy, of New-York, as the latter had received \$2,000 from the mother two years ago. The daughter now contests the will and denies that she received \$2,000 from her mother, but was a partner with her in the millinery business and helped her mother to make her money. The hearing of the case was adjourned for a week by Surrogate Bergen yesterday.

JERSEY CITY.

The Board of Education has appointed George H.
Barton superintendent of public schools, to succeed
the late William L. Dickinson. Mr. Barton was
principal of the High School.

Thomas Hearn was arraigned in the Hudson County Court yesterday for trial on an indictment for manslaughter. On September 8 Hearn threw John Supple, a butcher, at a slaughter-house in Grove-st. Supple's head came in contact with the floor with sufficient force to fracture his skull and he died without recovering consciousness. He defence will be that he acted in self-defence.

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Thomas V. Cator, the defeated Republican candidate for State Senator, George B. Fielder, County Clerk and Department Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of New-Jersey, and Richard M. Jordan quarrelled at a dram-shop in Exchange-place Wednesday night. The lie was given and returned, and Fielder struck Cator. Jordan also stanck him, and before the combatants were parted Cator had received a pair of black eyes.

Two decisions of importance to the people of Jer-sey City and Hudson County were rendered by the Supreme Court in Trenton yesterday. One of them affects the act of the Legislature authorizing the supreme Court in French yesterday. One of them affects the act of the Legislature authorizing the building of a county road or boulevard to extend north and south the length of the county and to cost \$1,000,000. The act permitted the people of the county to decide by ballot whether the road should be built, and at the last election there was a large majority in favor of the project. The Court decides that the election was improperly taken, but does not pass on the constitutionality of the law. The other decision affects the Police Justiceship. The appointment is made by the Legislature in joint session, but the Senate refused to go into joint session. Justice Samuel W. Stilsing, whose term expired in April last, claimed that he had the right to hold over until his successor was appointed by the Legislature. Governor Ludlow held that he had the right under the law to fill the vacancy, and appointed James W. Davis. The Court decided yesterday in favor of Stilsing and held that Davis was an intruder. Judge Stilsing will probably resume his judicial functions to-day. Judge Davis has gone to Canada and will not return for two weeks. LAST HONGES TO JAMES COLLES.

"Our will not get frightened and run away, will you get frightened and run away, will get frightened and run awa

have refused to comply with the request of the agents of the society will be proceeded against. It is understood that resistance will be made by one or two dealers, and that they will be backed by Richard K. Fox, the New-York publisher of some of these publications....Two hundred horses have been purchased by the management of the newly consolidated horse car companies for use on the lines.

NEW-JERSEY. MATAWAN.—The Rev. Robert Kent, of Ringoes, has accepted the call extended to him by the First Presbyterian Church. He will enter upon his duties about December 1.

LONG ISLAND.

RONKONKOMA.—The long absence from her home of Mrs. Hester Hoyt, who left her home on October 9 to visit friends in Jamaica, and has not since been heard from, has led her husband and friends to believe that she has met with foul play. No cause can be assigned for her prolonged absence unless she was suddenly taken insane while on the traine en route to Jamaica, and has wandered off, as she did not go to her friends in Jamaica. Her brother, some two years ago, committed suicide under temporary aberration of mind. Mrs. Hoyt has never shown symptoms of insanity. She is about thirty, and has three children.

STATEN ISLAND. STATEN ISLAND.

New-Brighton.—John Cole, a laborer, yesterday was instantly killed by a large rock which fell upon him.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. Sun rises, 6:41; sets, 4:48 | Moon sets 0:42 | Moon's age, ds. 10 HIGH WATER TO-DAY.

A.M.—Sandy Hook, 2:10 Gov. Island, 2:42 Hell Gate, 4:31 P.M.—Sandy Hook, 2:32 Gov. Island, 3:10 Hell Gate, 4:59 FOREIGN STEAMERS DUE AT THIS PORT.

TO-DAY.
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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10. SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11.

SHIPPING NEWS. PORT OF NEW-YORK THURSDAY, NOV. 8, 1883.

Steamer Olympia (Br), Carter, Genoa Sept S., via Naples II, Castellamara 18, Leghorn 25, Palcromo Oct I, Denta 13, Malaga 18 and Gibraltar 19, with mase and passengers to Henderson Bross.

Steamer Washinston (Ital), Mustica, Messina oct 17, via Palermo 23 and Gibraltar 26, with index and passengers to Henderson Bross. Co.

Steamer Ethiopia (Br), Wilson, Glasgow Oct 24, via Moville 26, with index and passengers to Henderson Bross.

Steamer Labrador (Pr), Collier, Havre Oct 28, with index and passengers to Louis de Bebiah.

Steamer Penniand (Belix), Weyer, Antwerp 12 days, with index and passengers to Peter Wright & Son.

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Steamer City of Washington, Rayneids, Vera Cruz Oct 29, Progress 31 and Havana 5 days, with index and passengers to Peter Wright & Son.

Steamer Nacochee, Kempton, Savannah 2½ days, with index and passengers to Win P Ciyle & Co.

Steamer Henefactor, Tribon, Wilmington 3 days, with mase and passengers to Win P Ciyle & Co.

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an. Ship Congress, Chewing. Portamouth for Cow Bay, LI, to be broken up.

Bark Ella (of Boston), Matthews, Iquique 85 days, with nitrate of soda to order; vessel to master.

Sohr San Juan, Hons, Campeche Oct 2 and Fernandina 10 days, with logwood to L Monjo, jr, & Co; vessel to B F Mctcaif & Co. SUNSET.-Wind at Sandy Hook, moderate, SW; hazy. At City Island, light, SW; cloudy. CLEARED.

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Steamer Gel.ert (Ger), Kuhleweign, Hamburg via Plymouth and Cherbourg—Kunhardt & Co.
Steamer Birtannia (Br), Jauffret, Genoa, Marseilles, etc—seaser Ros.
Steamer City of Alexandria, Timmerman, Havana and Mexican ports—F Alexandre & Sons.
Steamer Chattahoochee, Daggett, Savannah—Henry Yonge, it.

& Co. Steamer Ardanrigh (Br), Ewer, Charleston-Shupson Steamer Arthuriga (br.) Ever, Charleston—Shopson, sponce & Young.
Stoamer Rosnoke, Conch. Norfolk, City Point and Richmond—Old Dominion Se Co.
Steamer F C Knight, Chichester, Georgetown and Alexandria—Thos W Wightimson, Moore, Baltimore—J S Kreins.
Steamer Josephine Thomson, Moore, Baltimore—J S Kreins.
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Steamer Giancus, Sickenson, Baltimore—J F Kreins.
Steamer Giancus, Nickenson, Baston—H F Dimore.
Steamer Giancus, Nickenson, Baston—Win E Barnes.
Bark Alabama (Br.), Brown, Anjier, Java, for orders—Snow

Berk Marietta (Ital), Romco, Alexandria, E-Benham & Bark Jose H. Lopez, Mountfort, Marle, Gust-Miller & loughten. Hark Belle Marsters, Higgins, Sagua la Grande→Swan & Brig Victoria (Dan), Gallagher, St Croiz, WI-Hatton, Wat-Schr Anna R Bishop, Rulon, Para-G Amsiuck & Co.

Steamers Celtic. for Liverpool, Gellert, Hamburg, City of Alexandria, Havanni, Chattahoechee, Savannah; Romoke, Alexandria, Havanni, Chattahoechee, Savannah; Romoke, Gellemond, Breakwater, Lewes, Del., Barks Grid, for Oporto; Gesmer, Bremen; Mary Wagsins, Havre, Betty, London, Alsocaded—Via Long Island Sound—Steamer Neptone, for Roeton, Barks P J Carleton, for Penang; Hypatia, Blaye, Gordon, Dunkirk.

NEW-YORK HARBOR-DANGEROUS WRECK MARKED
A sniken canalboat having three feet of water on it at low
water lies about a quarter of a mile W by 5 from the entrance
to Erie Hasin, Broeklyn, A spar buoy, black and red horizontal stripes, has been placed to the castward of and near the

By order of the Lighthouse Board.

GEO. BROWN, Captain, U.S.N.,
Inspector, Third Lighthouse District.

Tompkinsville, SI, Nov 8, 1883. THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

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FOREIGN PORTS.

LIVERPOOL, Nov 8—Arrived, steamer Thanemore (Br),
Mitchell, from Bailtmore Oct 24.
QUEENSTOWN, Nov 8—Arrived, steamers Wyoming (Br),
Doughas, from New-York Oct 39; Servia (Br), Cook, from
New-York Nov 2, on their way to Liverpool, and proceeded,
Salled, steamer Samaria (Br), Woolfenden, for Boston.
LIZARD, Nov 8—Passed, steamers Altmore (Br), Young,
from New-Orleans Oct 17, on her way to Bremen; Otranto
(Br), Potter, from New-York Oct 24, on her way to Hull,
SOUTHAMITON, Nov 8—Arrived, steamer Pulda (Oct), Undeutsch, from New-York Oct 31, on her way to Bremen, and
proceeded. proceeded, Salled, steamer Elbe (Ger), Willegerod, from Bremen heuc for New-York. or New-York. Hull, Nov 7-Arrived, steamer Sorrento (Br), Magee, from few 1 ock.

Salied, steamer Romano (Br), Mitchell, for New-York,
Basicito Nov 3—Arrived, steamer Bristol (Br), Williams,
om Montreal Oct 23,
BRIMEN, Nov 6—Arrived, steamer Asia (Gér), Barron, from
Avanuah.

AMSTERDAM, Nov 7—Arrived, steamer Elpis (Br), Turner from Savannah. GENGA, NOV 4-Arrived, steamer Burgundia (Fr), Dulac, from New-York Oct 24. HAVANA, Nov 8-Arrived, steamer Niagara, Baker, from

New-York. VERA CRUZ, Nov 8—Arrived, steamer British Empire (Br), Pawcett, from New-York via Havana. DOMESTIC PORTS.

BOSTON, NOV S-Arrived, steamers Missouri (Br), Gleig, Liverpool; Saxon, Snow, Philadelphia.
Cleared, steamers Gity of Columbia, Wright, Savannab; Alpha (Br), Davis, Hallitar, Falmouth, Larcom, Portland.
PHILADELPHIA, NOV S-Arrived, steamers Perklomen, Miller, Salem, Hercuics, Ritson, Boston; Am Eliza, Warren, New-York.

North Cork.

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Cleared, steamers Fanita, Bearse, Charleston; Louisa, McChe, New York.

BALTIMORE, Nov S—Arrived, steamers Hermann (Ger),
Rauer, Hremen; Panama (Br), Morris, Marbella; Octorars,
Reynolds, New-York; Hackstone, Kent, Providence.

Cleared, steamers Nurnberg (Ger), Jacogor, Hromen; Vincand, Hart, New-York; Harrogate (Br), Surtees, Newport
News, Allegheny, Hallett, Boston.

FORT ROYAL, Nov S—Salled, steamer Cohanim (Br), United
Kinrdom. Kingdom.
CHARLESTON, Nov 8—Arrived, steamer Acada (Br), United
pool via Tybec.
NEW ORLEANS, Nov 8—Cleared, steamers Lasalle (Br), Liverpool; Heredia, Bluefields. pool; Heredia, Bineneids. At the Passes—Arrived, steamer Joseph Ferens, Lisbon, Sailed, steamer Excelsior, for New-York.

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nember when, I had the catarrh in my head. It consis

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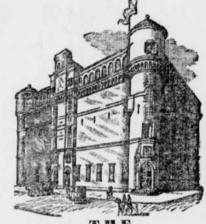
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